

Abstract

A method and system for broadcasting activity occurring in a baseball game is provided, wherein the activity includes one or more base runners occupying bases in a field where the baseball game is being played. The method comprises the steps of (i) providing a video image of activity occurring in the baseball game; (ii) creating a graphic overlay for the video image, wherein the graphic overlay provides indicia representing identity information of the one or more base runners occupying bases; and (iii) overlaying the graphic overlay over the video image to create a combined image comprising the graphic overlay and the video image. The indicia representing identity information of the one or more base runners occupying bases is provided in the form of uniform numbers of the base runners. The system includes a video image source for generating a video image signal, a graphic overlay generator for generating a video graphic signal, and a signal mixer for mixing the video image signal and the video graphic signal to output a mixed video signal capable of being broadcast to a viewing screen.